

Belvedere Family Church Newsletter 12.21.18

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Greetings BFC!

We hope everyone has been enjoying a wonderful December!



This Sunday we will have our **Evening Christmas Service** at 4pm at Belvedere.

Refreshments will be served - this is not a potluck.

Come join us for a wonderful night of holiday celebration!

[Click HERE to watch the latest Weekly Review](#)



Help Support this year's High School Winter Workshop!

Letter from Coordinators

We are excited to have our first sub-region wide high school winter workshop. The workshop will take place on December 27 to December 31 during winter break at the Unification Theological Seminary (UTS) in Barrytown, NY. It is for all 9th - 12th grade students in the sub-region, meaning states such as; PA, NY, NJ, CT, MA, NH, VT, ME, DE. This year our theme is **Demigod**. Giving the participants an opportunity to go on a quest to learn about themselves, and how their lives relate to their relationship with God just like the many heroes written in the classics. This theme was chosen to encourage the youth to fight and discover what their faith is and how it can play into their lives.

From this year we are changing the way we do workshops.

- More intentional about participants having a personal experience of own their faith
- Double the number of group leaders to create the best possible atmosphere for each participant
- Professional media team to capture the moments to share with parents and loved ones
- Unity with core staff and subregional leadership to empower new leaders for the future

Each participant is paying \$200 for registration and even the staff are paying from their own pocket. To break-even after room rental, expenses, etc. we are currently short about \$5,000. With your support, we can ensure that we can take our young leaders to a whole new level. Please consider making a donation of \$50 or more.

For questions contact:

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Thank you for all the love and support!

[Click HERE to donate for the High School Winter Workshop](#)



Looking for YAYAM Retreat Volunteers

Letter from Coordinators

Hello Belvedere community!

We are the hosts for our very first Sub Regional 1 YAYAM (Youth and Young Adult Ministry) retreat taking place on January 4-6th, 2019. This is where Sunday School leaders, youth leaders, young adult leaders and CARP leaders come together with their pastors from the various communities and the leadership of SR1. The purpose is for these leaders to come together, connect and unify so that they can create many wonderful activities and events for our area.

The cost of the retreat was covered by SR1 but we are still in need of volunteers. We are looking for cooks who can help cook food for the retreat attendees. If you are feeling even more generous, we are also looking for homestays for the youth to keep the cost down. Couch, futon, floor, etc, we are just looking for our young leaders to lay their heads.

If you can help in these two areas, please contact Dentthew Learey at dentthew@unification.org

the summit, or whether it is opening up your house as a place where we can lay our heads, your contribution will be greatly appreciated!

We thank you for all your love and support.

Sincerely,
Dentew Learey

